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Serial No. 10/692,963
Filed: 10/24/2003
Art Unit: 3635
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For: "Castellated Wood Beam and Method of its Manufacture"

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Application No.: 10/692,963 Group Art Unit: 3635
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TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS:

In response to the Office Action/Restriction dated March 23, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

Listing of the Claims begins on Page 2 of this paper.**Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 4 of this paper.**